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Gingham.

In other words, my stock of summer dress goods is on sale is on sale, and I am sure a more complete line has never been brought to this part of the valley.

Come and see the goods or send for samples.

S. E. Young,
Albany, Or.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Born to the wife of Rev. M. Burlingame, of this city, March 22, 1896, a girl.

J. Fred Yates returned Sunday from a ten days' business trip to California.

Monday a marriage license was issued by Clerk Hunter to Samuel F. Frazier and Miss Myrtle Martin.

Nolan & Callahan received this week 200 pairs "Bull Breeches." Price this season, \$1.25.

W. E. Newton, of Philomath, favorably spoken of as a candidate for assessor, was in town for a few hours Tuesday.

Scott King, one of the active republican workers of Blodgett precinct, was in town yesterday.

Remember the drawing for the chair at Nolan & Callahan will take place on Wednesday, April 1st, at 10 o'clock a. m. Hold your ticket for thirty days after drawing.

Murray & Mack, the fun makers, and a strong company of laugh producers, will present "Finnigan's Ball" at the opera house at Wednesday evening.

D. B. Farley was in town yesterday looking after his political fences. His name is being used in connection with the assessorship nomination on the republican ticket.

"Finnigan's Ball" up to date, with new songs, new dances and new specialties, with Murray & Mack in the leading roles, supported by an excellent company comes to Corvallis next Wednesday evening, April 1.

"Tammany" and "anti-Tammany" are the terms now applied to the two wings of the local democracy. While both rings are agreed as to Spencer being the favorite shaver, neither faction can agree upon a favorite for sheriff.

The GAZETTE has received during the past week two communications bearing upon political matters. But, as neither letter was signed by the writer, and for the further reason that they arrived too late for this issue, we were unable to publish them.

Adam Wilhelm, Jr., of Monroe, spent a few hours in Corvallis Tuesday. During his stay he was in consultation with several Tammany chieftains, and from the woe-begone expression depicted upon their countenances, it was evident that there was a clash of interests that did not auger well for democracy's success.

J. Fred Yates, attended a meeting of Oakville republicans Tuesday evening. He and John Summers, of Albany, were the principal speakers. In point of enthusiasm, Mr. Yates says the meeting compared favorably with the republican rally had at Philomath during the last campaign, which was generally acknowledged to have been the most enthusiastic political meeting ever held in the county.

M. W. Wilkins and wife and small children leave soon for Portland, where they will temporarily reside. Mr. Wilkins has accepted a situation as traveling salesman for a large wholesale establishment and is to travel over the states of Oregon, Washington, Idaho and California. The Hotel Corvallis will be managed under his name by Mr. Wilkins' two sons, and the dining room will be in charge of Mrs. J. H. Parent.

Chester Lee Hall, son of A. J. Hall, of Wellsdale, died last Sunday at the family residence. About two weeks previous to his death he was taken with a violent attack of typhoid fever, and at the time of his death he was considered much improved, but an affection of the throat set in, which it is supposed hastened his death. The deceased was in his 22nd year and was very popular in the neighborhood where he had been reared. The interment occurred Monday afternoon at Buena Vista, Rev. Kelly officiating.

The lady Macabees entertainment, given at the opera house last Saturday evening, was not very largely attended, owing to the various lectures delivered at the various churches on that evening. An excellent program was rendered, and Albany talent was well represented. The musical part of the program, under the direction of Miss Alderson, of Albany, was thoroughly enjoyed by those present. Miss Lola Wilkins' piano solo deserves special mention. The two recitations by Miss Helen Crawford, of Albany, were heartily applauded, and Mrs. Walker and Miss Alderson charmed the audience with well selected vocal solos. The main feature of the entertainment was able address delivered by State Commander Nellie Lamberson, of Albany, who spoke briefly but intelligently of the rapid advancement of women—socially and intellectually.

13 DOLLARS AND UPWARDS FOR SUITS ORDER AT OCEIL, THE TAILOR'S.

COURT HOUSE TRAGEDY.

M. T. Lindsey Ends His Life With a Shot from a Colts Revolver.

Weary with the struggles of life, shattered in health and despondent over financial reverses, M. T. Lindsey ended his existence, Saturday afternoon, in the basement of the court house, with a shot from a 44 caliber Colts revolver. He had given no warning of his intended tragic ending; and his friends and family were as much surprised and horrified, as was the general public. Mr. Lindsey, according to his usual custom, left home after breakfast and spent the forenoon in reading the papers at the second-hand store of Dunn & Campbell. On leaving the store, about noon, he asked Mr. Campbell for a revolver that he had left there for sale, remarking that he believed he would take the pistol home with him. Leaving the store, he started homeward, and when near the court house met and talked a few moments with Rufus Skipton, who was probably the last person to see him alive. Shortly before one o'clock the prisoners at the county jail heard a pistol shot ring out from the neighborhood of the court house, and few minutes later, J. R. Smith, the court house janitor, discovered the body of Mr. Lindsey, in a sitting position, in the basement of the building, with his head thrown back against a rick of wood, and his right hand grasping the revolver. The whole side of his head was blown away and death was evidently instantaneous with the shot. E. E. Wilson, justice of the peace, appearing soon after, was notified, and as acting coroner took charge of the remains. A jury, composed of C. B. Wells, E. Skipton, S. L. Henderson, J. M. Porter, Ruthym Turney, and J. N. Branderbury, was empaneled, and after viewing the remains, and hearing the evidence, adjourned until Monday, when they concluded their investigations, and returned the following verdict:

We, the jury empaneled to inquire into the cause of the death of M. T. Lindsey, find that said deceased was Martin T. Lindsey; that deceased came to his death by a gunshot wound in the right temple; that said shot was fired from a Colts revolver of 44 calibre by said deceased with suicidal intent.

Mr. Lindsey was an old soldier, being a member of the 3rd Ohio Cavalry. He had quite a brilliant war record, having been orderly sergeant on the staff of Gen. Thomas. At the battle of Chickamauga, he was captured by the rebels and placed in Andersonville, where he remained fourteen months. He was born in Zansville, Ohio, in 1840. Early in the '70s he came to Oregon and located near Brownsville in Linn county. December 3, 1874, he was married to Miss Elizabeth Burkhardt, who with three children, two daughters and a son, survive him.

The funeral services occurred from the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon, Dr. E. J. Thompson officiating. The interment took place at the Crystal Lake cemetery, under the auspices of the G. A. R. and A. O. U. W., of both of which orders the deceased was a member.

His family has the sympathy of the entire community.

DEATH OF THOMAS GRAHAM.

Thomas Graham died at his family residence Monday morning. He had been in feeble health for some time and the announcement of his death, while a shock to his friends, did not greatly surprise them. Mr. Graham was born January 23, 1840, in Monroe county, Ohio. At the age of ten years, with his family he moved to Tennessee, thence to Kansas five years later. In 1864, the family started west, their destination being Boise, Idaho, where Mr. Graham was engaged for three years in the drug business. His parents had preceded him to Corvallis, and on selling out his interest in Boise, Mr. Graham next located in this city, and in the fall of 1869, engaged in the drug business, occupying for the first two years, a building located where Small's confectionary store now stands.

At the end of that period, he formed a partnership with Dr. Bailey, and moved to the corner, and ever since has occupied the same premises. Mr. Graham was a prominent mason, and was also a member of the A. O. U. W. He was careful in his business transactions; bore an excellent reputation, and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. In April 1873, he was married to Miss Frankie Hamilton, who with two sons survive him.

The funeral which occurred at the Congregational church yesterday afternoon, under the auspices of Corvallis Lodge A. F. & A. M., was very largely attended. In Mr. Graham's death Corvallis loses a faithful citizen, an active worker for the public good, and a genuine Christian gentleman.

COLLEGE NOTES.

The ladies of the sophomore class entertained the gentlemen of the class at a party at the mechanical hall. Games were indulged in for some time, after which refreshments were served in a suitable manner. It is rumored that the favor will be returned in the near future.

The track is partly completed by this time. Last Saturday about half a dozen teams and fifty boys labored all day long on it. It is expected that with one more day's work it will be fit for use. This is decidedly encouraging.

Last Friday evening a number of young ladies and gentlemen started out to serenade Prof. Horner. Arriving at his residence, they sang until completely exhausted, and then departed without having received any recognition. Imagine their surprise and discomfort when they discovered on the following day that Prof. Horner was out of town and the house empty. If at first, etc.

Chi'l'ren Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE ELECTION OF MORRISSEY.

The varied experiences of a candidate for public office will be portrayed by the Hook and Ladder company, Saturday evening, April 4th, at the opera house. The checked career of Pat Morrissey, who is running for sheriff, forms the basis of a play that serves to introduce bright dialogue, new songs and instrumental music and novel specialties.

Among the features are, a fire scene, a minstrel show, a scene in a medium's parlors, a printing office scene, and an election scene, with a subsequent celebration. The vocal music includes solos, quartettes and choruses, with all new songs. Two of the songs are of local composition, written especially for the occasion. The character of Morrissey, and in fact all the characters, will be in capable hands.

During the afternoon there will be a parade, with several novel features, that will surpass anything of the kind ever given in Corvallis. If the weather permits, after the parade there will be races between amateurs, including a horse race with a college team and a down-town team as contestants.

The H. & L. band will furnish music, both for the afternoon parade and the evening entertainment. The admission will be 25 cents, general admission; 35 cents for reserved seats, and children 15 cents.

Mr. F. M. Johnson received the following telegram yesterday: "Have won a three-fold victory. Willamette, Yamhill and Yaquina are all to go under contract system. This means immediate completion. BINGER HERMANN." This is great good news to the people of western Oregon. Congress has finally been induced to abandon the piece-meal plan of improving these important water ways, that has been costly and slow. The execution of the plans recommended by the engineers for the improvement of Yaquina harbor and the Willamette river, means much to the farmers and business men. It guarantees competition in freight rates, and will be a strong inducement to make the O. C. & E. R. R. a transcontinental line. The people here are agreeably surprised, for with the well-known disposition of the present congress to make for itself a record for economy, it was thought that Mr. Hermann had before him a very difficult task. His success proves his influence and ability, and the citizens of Benton county, regardless of party, are greatly interested in seeing Mr. Hermann succeed himself. They regard as the height of folly, the proposition to endanger, in any degree, those enterprises that so affect the welfare of the whole valley, by sending a new, untried man to look out for our affairs.

Letter List.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the Corvallis postoffice, unclaimed Mar. 21, 1896.

Garner, Mr. W. A.; Harding, Mrs. Louisa; Judd, Mrs. Jennie; Smith, Mr. M. L.; Worthington, Mr. Wess.

ROBT. JOHNSON, P. M.

ALSEA JOTTINGS.

The gentle showers of the past week have done much good.

The south school house is to have a new roof. W. J. Tharp has the contract.

Mrs. Fannie Sebell, who died at Corvallis, Wednesday last, was interred at 10 a. m. Friday, in the Alsea cemetery.

F. B. Warfield has located a ranch near that of James McCurdy. Frank means business, and we expect he will be taking some one into partnership with him as soon as he gets things ready.

The political pot is warming up and what Alsea is most interested in is the selection of the representative, commissioners and assessor. She has a candidate for the latter office, whose fitness for the position cannot be questioned. The representative should not only be a man of ability, but he should bear the stamp of honesty; and as about four out of five of the republicans of this county are unwilling to acknowledge the supremacy of England, and her international agreement, he should be an unquestionable friend to the white metal, and to John H. Mitchell. We do not want a straddler, who will try to catch votes from every quarter. We want a man who has principles which he is not ashamed to declare. The commissioners should be selected with care. We want a man for this position, who has proved himself capable of an economical management of his own affairs. B. W. Jolly would be our favorite candidate if he could be induced to accept the nomination. We believe in the past too much attention has been given to the selection of sheriff and clerk and thereby neglected the offices which have the regulation of our taxes. We want a man for assessor, who will hunt up all property in the county and try to make it bear its just portion of the taxes. We want a legislator, who will go to Salem next January, with the determination to vote "no" on every useless appropriation bill. And we want a commissioner who will stand for economy on every question involving the finances of the county.

GEO. MOOREBACK.

Finnigan's Ball.

Murray and Mack, the Irish comedians, will be seen at the opera house next Wednesday evening in their latest vehicle of amusement, entitled "Finnigan's Ball." The farce is a jolly potpourri of hilarious situations, funny dialogue, good specialties and catchy melodies and parodies. Just such an entertainment as is calculated to please that class of theatre-goers who want to enjoy a hearty laugh and be entertained without any thought of what it is all about. The specialties, of which there is an abundance, are all seen and include several novelties. The company contains nearly twenty-five members, including, besides Murray and Mack, the stars, Geo. Emerick, the author, Bert Iselle, Clayton E. White, Chas. Lamb and Vincent Minnelli. The female contingent is unusually clever, and a more bewitching bary of good looking young women than Grace Cummings, the Loring Sisters, Winifred Stewart, Lonnie Deane, Edith Newton and Clara Burgess would be hard to find. The girls are not only pretty, but all possess good voices and add dash and chic to the farce that is highly pleasing. The costumes, too, are worthy of special mention.

HERMANN DEFENDED.

Malicious Attacks Upon Him Aply Refuted by Hon. R. A. Bensell.

NEWPORT, OR., March 19th, 1896.

To the Editor:—On the 14th day of February, 1896, I sent the following letter to the Daily Oregonian for publication. I left it there until about March 8th, and asked to have it returned, which was done with a statement that I had omitted something important in the heading. So immediately on receipt of their objections, I wrote a letter of apology and supplied the deficiency in my former communication and mailed it on March 9th, with a request to print in the daily. It has not been published, nor is it likely to be, and I now appeal to you for fair play as it is just and proper that the information desired by correspondents in the Oregonian should be answered, as they are of public interest and importance.

It is strange that so many men, in their extreme anxiety to defeat the presentation of facts and figures heretofore presented, illuminate their ignorance of legislation methods and requirements. "Querist" intimates that possibly Washington senators and representatives rendered some assistance. How could they? The people of Oregon, not Washington, petitioned and memorialized congress for the improvement of the mouth of the Columbia; the bills for that work, as for all others mentioned, had to originate in the house. I detect the necessity for this kindergarten instruction for the benefit of writers who would presume this, and even attribute Mr. Hermann's obedience to the expressed wishes of this constituents to some selfish or personal end. No doubt Washington delegates voted for Oregon bills, as our delegates voted for theirs, but Mr. "Querist" et al, please remember that the deepening of the water on the Columbia bar was establishing a rival to Puget Sound, and the assumption that Washington members jumped over each other in their haste to vote on this measure, is about as unreasonable and ridiculous as to suppose the chamber of commerce at Portland would memorialize for deeper water at Yaquina Bay.

Now, "Querist" et al think the Willamette river has been neglected, and the valley made an unnecessary sufferer; that Mr. Hermann has been to blame in this one particular. Has he?

About the time Mr. Hermann took his seat in congress, the Oregon Pacific railroad, after years of struggle and opposition, commenced carrying freight to the new port of Yaquina bay. The rates were so low, compared to those of the past, that farmers in the heart of the valley received nearly as much per bushel on grain, as they had formerly been able to sell for in Portland. It was a grand, positive and valuable reduction; a direct saving to the farmers of the Willamette valley. The river for five years was almost forgotten, so secure did the people feel from further embarrassment by exorbitant freight charges. A competing line of railroad had changed the whole freight conditions in the Willamette valley, and greatly for the better. Yaquina was to be the valley's port of shipment, hence its improvement became the valley's special care.

"Querist" says Hermann has neglected the valley and devoted too much attention to other points on the coast. Did he? Sometime in February, 1895, an officer of unquestionable ability in charge of the public works in Oregon, wound up his report on Yaquina bay, by saying: "It was beyond the power of man to further improve the bar." It was like a thunderbolt from a clear sky. The valley people without an exception were alarmed. Only a few days remained of the 53rd congress; the river and harbor committee had finished their work and held their last meeting; every member of that committee of fifteen was anxious after his individual measures and had no desire or inclination or even reason to open up new questions of improvement. This was the critical situation at Washington when the report of Capt. Symons' reached Hermann. Without a word of advice or importuning from any one he exerted himself to get the scattered committee together again.

No small task, and one that no new member could have accomplished. After much hard work he had the committee reconvened, and they reported for a "Commission of three officers, none to be below the grade of captain, who were to examine and report on a new project for improving Yaquina bar."

The valley people felt indeed grateful for this timely action of Mr. Hermann's, and on the 11th of last May, at Newport, the Willamette valley was ably represented before the commission by delegates from Salem, Albany, Junction, Eugene, Corvallis and Eastern Oregon. Statistics in abundance were shown, showing the great saving the valley had realized since the improvement had commenced. Strong arguments were made by representatives from the various valley towns, and there was no mistaking the earnest, vigorous expression of the valley press. What was the result? The commission, with all data before them, and a survey made after their appointment, reported a new project for deepening the water on the bar at an outlay of \$1,250,000. I hope Mr. Hermann's opponents will not attribute this special effort in behalf of the Willamette valley to his presumed interest in town lots. The safe, certain and unquestionable means of regulating freights for a large part of Oregon, if not all, depends upon the ports instead of one, and a competing line of railroad.

"Querist" says, if I will name some one who opposed Senator Dolph, and is now a candidate for Hermann's place, I will do him a favor. I am not dragging skeletons of former greatness into the light of day just now. If "Querist" however, wishes information on this point, he might hunt up the files of the defunct Portland Sun, and he will find the names and possibly the likeness of men whom that paper tried to defile, because they dared to oppose the caucus nominee. If there are gentlemen who desire a new deal, without regard to the best interests of the state, it will not be the first time such a thing has been done. For my part, I shall be only too glad to assist in nullifying the pernicious effect of a new deal we indulged in about three years ago, of a national character.

Since the Oregonian seems disinclined to allow answers to the questions of its own correspondents, will you kindly permit a reply to "Willamette Valley," of Eugene, who wishes B. A. B. to compare the appropriations for Oregon with those of other states, and also to show the time and page, where Mr. Hermann had ever made a speech on the political issues of the day?

I have taken pains to hunt the records and herewith give the comparison asked for.

The last congress (see U. S. statistics) when the reduced democratic revenue, decreased the river and harbor bill, Oregon had \$619,000; California, \$376,000, and Washington had \$78,000. Is this comparison satisfactory? Let us go a little further, the entire Pacific coast received from the general government for its waterways, up to and including 1890, about \$10,000,000, and of this sum Oregon received \$5,640,419, being over one-half. California had \$4,188,250, in the same period. After 1890, Oregon had received \$3,104,950, up to and including 1890. In 1890, Oregon was third in order for appropriations, as shown by the statistics. Is this exhibit satisfactory to "Willamette Valley?" Of course not. So we find that in 1892, when the great Sault de Ste Marie canal was taken from the river and harbor bill, Oregon ranked as second in amount; New York a tie being in excess. Here are the figures: Oregon, \$1,483,100; California, \$599,500, and Washington had \$38,000. New York had, not including contract on the Hudson, \$1,716,000; Michigan, including Sault de Ste Marie canal, \$2,288,000; Wisconsin, \$472,895; Ohio, \$429,500; Massachusetts, \$497,000; South Carolina, \$570,000; Georgia, \$502,000; Texas, \$899,000; Alabama, \$511,000. Other states not mentioned, because they each received less. It has been said that Oregon merely received her share. Will California, Wisconsin or Ohio agree to this proposition?

Now as to speeches! I shall deprecate the day Oregon sends men to congress for their ability to make speeches. There is nothing the masses care so little for, as congressional oratory. "W. V.," however, asks a question, and is entitled to an answer. See speech on Revenue and Protection, page 542, Congressional Record, Vol. 1, 54th session, Dec. 26th, 1895; also speech on Tariff, page 507, appendix Congressional Record, 53rd congress, 2nd session. This speech the republican congressional committee circulated largely as a campaign document and the republican campaign book of '92, contains many extracts from that able speech.

See speech on Chinese exclusion, 52nd congress, page 2015; also on Land Forfeiture, page 6124; also on Wool Revenue, page 2783; on Silver Legislation, page 6283; on Pensions, page 108; on Idaho's Admission, page 3082; on Tariff again, page 278. In the 51st congress there are over twenty different subjects of national and state interest discussed by Mr. Hermann. In the 49th and 50th congresses there are also many speeches and debates; but this ought to satisfy the particular longing of "Willamette Valley."

R. A. BENSELL.

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M. L. Barnett, of Monroe, was in town yesterday.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned assignee of the estate of C. A. Frantz, doing business as Frantz Bros., will sell to the highest bidder the unpaid accounts and notes due the said estate, at the court house door, in Corvallis, Oregon, on the 3rd day of April, 1896, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m.

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